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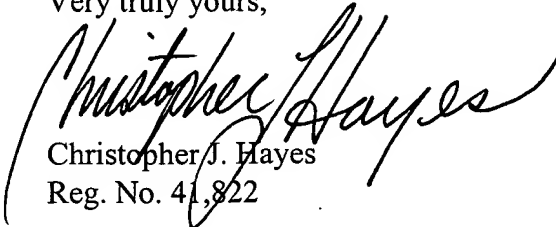
Enclosed please find the following documents to be filed in connection with the above-identified application:

- 1) This Transmittal Letter (1 page, in duplicate);
- 2) Information Disclosure Statement Under Rule 1.56 (2 pages);
- 3) Form PTO-1449 (3 pages);
- 4) Copies of 33 references; and
- 5) Return postcard.

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicants wishes to make of record the following documents (clean copies and Form(s) PTO-1449 are enclosed).

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

A1	5,771,707	Lagac��t, et al.
A2	5,761,915	Rao
A3	5,758,511	Yoho, et al.
A4	5,727,394	Belding, et al.
A5	5,660,048	Belding, et al.
A6	5,649,428	Calton, et al.
A7	5,579,647	Calton, et al.
A8	5,551,245	Calton, et al.
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A11	5,496,397	Fischer, et al.
A12	5,448,895	Coellner, et al.
A13	5,401,706	Fischer, et al.
A14	5,373,704	McFadden

A15	5,300,138	Fischer, et al.
A16	5,176,005	Kaplan
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A18	4,955,205	Wilkinson
A19	4,769,053	Fischer, Jr.
A20	4,723,417	Meckler
A21	4,594,860	Coellner, et al.
A22	4,582,129	Yano, et al.
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C1	US. Dept. of Energy, "Federal Technology Alerts - Two-Wheel Desiccant Dehumidification System" (April, 1997)
C2	J. Smith, "Schools Resolve IAQ/Humidity Problems with Desiccant Preconditioning" (1996)
C3	J. Swails et al., "A Cure For Growing Pains," <i>Consulting Specifying Engineer</i> (June 1997)
C4	R. DiBlasio, "Conditioning a Research Facility," <i>Engineered Systems</i> (September 1995)
C5	C. Downing, "No Place Like Home," <i>Engineered Systems</i> (1996)
C6	SEMCO Incorporated, <i>Energy Recovery Products</i> (1998)

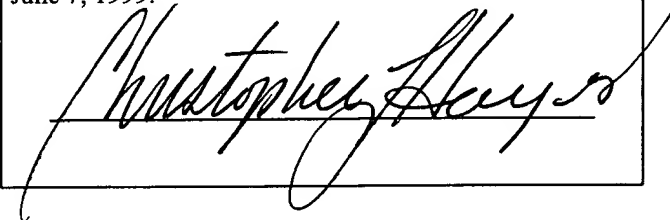
Applicant requests that these documents be considered by the Examiner before issuance of the next action and made of record in this file. The Examiner is also asked to initial and return a copy of the enclosed PTO-1449 form(s) to evidence such consideration.

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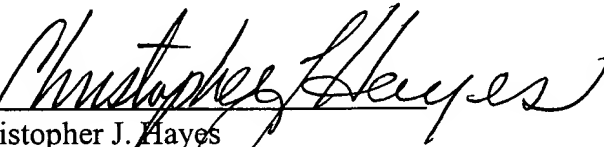
- [X] CFR § 1.97(b)(1). Within three months of the filing date of the national application. No fee is required.
- [X] 37 CFR § 1.97(b)(3). To the best of the undersigned's knowledge, before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits. No fee is required.

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